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Hon. Shira A. Scheindlin United States District Judge United States District Court Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street, Room 1620 New York, NY 10007 RECEIVED S. Benschar CHAMBER CHAMBER CHAMBER CHAMBER CONTRACT CHAMBER CONT

Re:

Van Cleef & Arpels Logistics, S.A., et al. v. Goldstein Jewelers

Civil Action No. 07-CV-1290 (SAS)

Dear Judge Scheindlin:

We represent Plaintiffs in the above action. We write to request a Court conference with respect to the scheduling of Defendants' depositions. These depositions were first noticed for June 6, 2008. Defendants twice adjourned them, first to June 30th then to July 14th. We were informed earlier today by counsel that Defendants do not intend to appear on Monday as scheduled. Defendants have proffered medical excuses, which have turned out to be unsubstantiated.

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The current situation is untenable. Without assistance from the Court, we do not see how these depositions can be scheduled. We will accordingly request the Court to set the depositions for a date certain, and to warn Defendants that sanctions will be entered for failure to appear.

Respectfully Submitted,

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plaintiff' request is granted.

A conference is hereby
scheduled for
July 23, 2008; at
A:30 p.m.

Date: My 11, Shira A. Scheindlin,

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